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sarily be of great importance in the eyes
of all missionaries. Mr. E. H.
Parker's 'Short Journeys in Szechuen' are
continued, and a goodly instalment of
these travels in the interior of China is
given. Mr. F. H. Balfour contributes a
paper of some length entitled 'The Em-
peror Cheng, founder of the Chinese Em-
pire,' which will be read with genuine
interest by students of Chinese history.
The review of the 'New Year Festival in Chi-
nese' is a most judiciously edited and
number of Notes and Queries, one of which
'On Chinese Customs in Western Borneo
and Java' might appropriately have been
placed under a separate heading, complete
the number."—*H.K. Daily Press*.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at
Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked A., near the Kowloon shore B., and those in the body of the
Shipping or midway between each shore are marked C., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the P. and O. Co.'s Factory.
3. From P. and O. Co.'s Factory to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's Office to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

Section.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Agent.	Country.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers.								
Agassiz	5	Thomas.	Brit. str.	750	Feb. 26	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		K'loon Dock
Alvine	6	Moss.	Brit. str.	400	Mar. 2	W. R. Marty	Holhow	To-morrow
Charlebrooke	5	Cass.	Brit. str.	973	Mar. 2	Order		
Coches	4	Haan	Dutch str.	1423	Mar. 4	Jarline, Matheson & Co.	Saigon	To-morrow
Claymore	8	Gulland	Brit. str.	1697	Mar. 3	Russell & Co.		
Dora Tully	7	Coung	Brit. str.	1229	Feb. 26	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Florida	5	Campion	Span. str.	125	Oct. 3	Remedios & Co.	Amoy, &c.	
Fama	8	Hosmani	Brit. str.	800	Mar. 1	H. K. & W'poo Dock Co.		
Fidelo	3	Brook	Bar. str.	852	Feb. 26	Wielcr & Co.		
Fokien	5	Westoby	Brit. str.	509	Mar. 9	Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow	
Francisco Reyes	5	Urruticocaea	Span. str.	500	Feb. 18	Remedios & Co.	Manila	
Glenroy	5	Geako	Brit. str.	1411	Mar. 3	Jarline, Matheson & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Hallong	5	Godard	Brit. str.	277	Mar. 2	Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow, &c.	To-morrow
Harbor	4	Grandin	Brit. str.	1206	Feb. 27	Russell & Co.	Saigon	To-morrow
Ingraman	3	Massmann	Bar. str.	803	Mar. 3	M. R. M. S. Co.	Nagasaki	
John Knox	8	Broly	Brit. str.	1350	Mar. 1	Butterfield & Swire		
Medita	3	Horch	Ger. str.	339	Feb. 15	Wielcr & Co.		
Mount Lebanon	3	Maxwell	Brit. str.	1555	Oct. 4	Borneo Co. Limited.	Honolulu	K'loon Dock
Mosser	5	Itack	Brit. str.	1323	Mar. 4	Russell & Co.	Yokohama & Hiogo	
Nansen	3	Hinton	Brit. str.	852	Feb. 21	Douglas Steamship Co.	Swatow, &c.	K'loon Dock
Oceanic	3	Metcalfe	Brit. str.	1203	Feb. 15	M. R. M. S. Co.	San Francisco	Ab'denDoe
Pai-ho	5	Bretel	Fch. str.	2082	Feb. 23	Messageries Maritimes		
Praemokshire	3	Davies	Brit. str.	1716	Mar. 2	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Pra Chom Kiao	2	Stanton	Brit. str.	1011	Mar. 1	Yuen Fat Hong	Chefoo	To-morrow
Piccola	5	Nissen	Ger. str.	875	Feb. 23	Wielcr & Co.		
Pyramides	2	Hensley	Brit. str.	1367	Mar. 15	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Sardonyx	4	Hovey	Fch. str.	4028	Feb. 27	Messageries Maritimes	Europe, &c.	10th inst.
Sardonys	4	Backman	Brit. str.	498	Feb. 2	Jarline, Matheson & Co.		
Sas Oull	8		Amer. str.	48	China Trade Insurance Co.		
Ship-on	2	Blumenberg	Annam str.	136	Jan. 18	Chinese	Whampoa	
Sumatra	2	Worcester	Brit. str.	1406	Mar. 4	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Bombay, &c.	
Tehran	5	Santes	Brit. str.	1670	Mar. 2	P. & O. S. N. Co.	Yokohama	To-morrow
Will of the Wisp	3	Owston	Brit. str.	108	Dec. 22	Past & Co.	Haiphong	
Yokushiro	4	Arnold	Brit. str.	1458	Mar. 9	Russell & Co.	Shanghai	To-morrow
Sailing Vessels.								
Alden Besso	3	O'Brien	Amer. bgo.	812	Dec. 9	Melchers & Co.	Victoria, B. C.	
Alexander McNeil	8	David	Amer. sh.	1088	Dec. 20	Melchers & Co.		
Almatia	3	Laphan	Am. bkts.	387	Mar. 21	ame, Crawford & Co.		
Amoy Sloop	4	Parker	Ger. bgo.	404	Feb. 28	Wielcr & Co.		
Anton Gauthier	4	Steinbrugg	Ger. bgo.	441	Mar. 4	Melchers & Co.		
Archos	4	Barben	Brit. bgo.	45	Mar. 3	Borree & Co. Limited.		
Centaur	5	Offersen	Ger. bgo.	468	Dec. 29	Wielcr & Co.	Honolulu	
Chanderanger	8	Parker	Brit. bgo.	708	Jan. 30	Order		
Coloma	4	Noyes	Amer. bgo.	856	Jan. 17	Melchers & Co.	Portland Oregon	
Commodore	8	Blanchard	Amer. sh.	1900	Dec. 10	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Crescent	7	Blanchard	Amer. bgo.	588	Nov. 13	Russell & Co.	New York	Ab'denDoe
Friedrich	8	Pie-on	Am. bgo.	405	Jan. 12	Stearns & Co.		
Goodell	8	Hagall	Amer. bgo.	840	Jan. 4	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Granite State	5	Fitze	Amer. sh.	1024	Feb. 15	Melchers & Co.		
Gustav & Oscar	5	Geomant	Ger. sh.	1353	Jan. 28	Order		
Hedvig	4	Beig	Brit. bgo.	374	Dec. 23	Chinese.	Focchoo	
Heloise	4	Reichmann	Ger. 3m. str.	123	Jan. 31	Wielcr & Co.	Chefoo	Cleared
Hedwig	3	Hovey	Brit. str.	7	Nov. 2	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Victoria, V. I.	Cleared
John Osborne	2	Wilson	Brit. sh.	1058	Jan. 20	Carlwitz & Co.	Ayala	
Jessie C. Smith	7	Erass	Am. bkting.	423	Jan. 18	Order		
Lennox Castle	8	Soberido	Ger. bgo.	693	Oct. 31	Lane, Crawford & Co.		For sale
Livingstone	3	Steffanus	Brit. bgo.	531	Feb. 9	Wielcr & Co.		
Martha	8	McPherson	Brit. bgo.	264	Feb. 4	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Matilda	5	Merrymay	Amer. sh.	829	Mar. 4	Bu Gan Long & Co.		
May	7	Polber	Brit. bkting.	837	Feb. 19	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Melbree	3	Lighbody	Brit. bgo.	819	Feb. 2	Melchers & Co.		
Mount Lebanon	4	C. H. Nelson	Brit. bkting.	590	Ang. 21	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Honolulu	
Nellie M. Shade	4	Gould	Amer. sch.	555	Feb. 18	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Nichols Thayer	3	rosbie	Amer. sch.	535	Dec. 20	Captain	New York	K'loon Dock
North American	8	Hall	Brit. sh.	1520	Feb. 2	Order		
Onaida	3	McGivray	Amer. sh.	1074	Feb. 9	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Princess Wilhelmina	4	Miller	Dut. bgo.	370	Jun. 8	Stueman & Co.	Newchwang	
Republic	8	Holmes	Amer. sh.	1293	Mar. 3	Russell & Co.		
Sumar	3	Jones	Am. sh.	1070	Dec. 20	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Boston	Cleared
Sarah S. Ridgway	4	Powensend	Amer. bgo.	831	Nov. 20	Chinese		
Shartan	7	Gressely	Amer. bgo.	709	Dec. 31	Order	Victoria, B. C.	
Thomas Dana	4	Small	Amer. sh.	1268	Jan. 28	Russell & Co.		
Troisrogers	8	Cann	Brit. sh.	1252	Feb. 22	Douglas Steamship Co.		
Ventura	3	Uremendi	Span. bgo.	901	Feb. 26	Order		
W. H. Besso	4	Gibbs	Amer. sh.	1627	Jan. 18	Captain		
Wagrien	4	Deubern	Ger. sch.	315	Dec. 18	Wielcr & Co.		